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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
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Claim(s) discussed: None.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

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Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner agreed, Claims are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(a) instead of Claims are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e).

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